

# School Newsletter from Brent Libraries

**Date 10 July 2025**

## Hello Parents and Carers

Here is your School Newsletter from Brent Libraries for the summer holiday 2025. We have many exciting FREE events coming up for your children. Have a look below to see which events you would like to come to. Some events require booking via Eventbrite, and a QR code is pasted on each page for you to follow.

## Ealing Road Library Summer Events Under 5s

## Booking Code

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### Creative Crafty Fun Workshops,

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**11.30am – 1pm**

Enjoy arts and crafts, moulding your own clay, decorating accessories, creating a card for loved one or just having creative fun! Delivered by **Barnardo's** in partnership with the Co-Op

Drop in - For ages 10+ (younger children with parental supervision).

Age 5 – 11 years

### Tuesday weekly craft workshops

**2.30 – 3.30pm**

29 July: Fiery Feathers: Create your own Phoenix

5 August: Mythical Monster Magic: Loch Ness Monster + **plus Big GREEN Garden Party fun!!** Outdoor activities, face painting and more...

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12 August: Aladdin's Magic Lamp Craft Adventures

19 August: Fierce & Fun: Make a Dragon Mask

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Ages 5 – 11 years

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Family-friendly session - come dressed ready to move!

Ages 5 – 11 years

### **Ealing Road Film Club**

**Thursdays:**

**31 July – Moana 2,**

**7 August Dog Man**

**28 August – Mufasa: The Lion King**

**2.30 – 4.30pm**

Family Film Fun

Ages 5 – 11

Image No

### **Build and Code: Robotics Workshops**

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Ages 8 - 11

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**11am – 12noon and 2 – 3pm**

Delivered by Learning Through the Arts

For ages 5 - 11

8 August: Shadow Puppets and Tinga Tinga Painting

15 August: Dragon kites and Russian dolls

22 August: Bird house and Sun catcher

29 August: Carnival head piece and Carnival jewellery making

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Ages 7 – 11

Booking Essential

### **Heritage Dance Clothes Family Craft**

**Wednesday 20 August**

**2.30 – 4.30pm**

Ages Family craft

Booking Essential

### **Dinosaurs Story and craft activity**

**Thursday 21 August**

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Enjoy a story about a book-loving dinosaur and then learn some fun dino facts and join in a craft activity

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### **Friday weekly craft workshops**

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Ages 5 – 11 years

### **Build and Code: Robotics Workshops**

**Wednesday 6, Thursday 14, Wednesday 20 August**

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Ages 8 - 11

Booking Essential

### **Creative Tuesday art workshops**

**11am – 12noon and 2 – 3pm**

Delivered by Learning Through the Arts

For ages 5 - 11

5 August: Navajo art and Panama Molas

12 August: Chinese calligraphy and Islamic tiles

19 August: Bean art and Mini mural

26 August: Caribbean birds and Masks

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Ages 7 – 11

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### Heritage Family craft: Toys for young and old

Thursday 7 August

2.30-4.30pm

Come and meet Amy a beautiful doll from the 1950s/60s. Handle replicas of lots of popular toys from before mobile phones and computers! Make your own jointed doll out of card to take home.

Age range: 5+

### Kilburn Library

*Kilburn Library is closed temporarily for a landmark £1million refurbishment, creating a modern, inclusive and vibrant space for the entire community.*

## Kingsbury Library Summer Events

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**Friday 1 August 2.30 - 4pm**

Join Brilliantly funny & fun Poet Paul Lyalls - to celebrate all things nature, especially our birds - learn great poetry skills, write a fantastic poem, make a bird box and make friends! **Ages 8 – 11** Bookable Yes

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### **Creative Saturday art workshops**

**11am – 12noon and 2 – 3pm** For ages 5 - 11

Delivered by Learning Through the Arts

16 August: Warli Indian art and Japanese printing

23 August: Sunflowers and Sunshine yarn art

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Ages 4+

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### **Firebird Fairy Tales story performance and craft workshop**

**Thursday 31 July 2.30 - 4 pm**

Join storyteller and writer Sally Pomme Clayton as she tells thrilling fairytales of the Firebird - bringing them to life with strange musical sounds, gestures, movements and joining in! Find out the secrets of the magical Phoenix who appears in stories across the Middle East and beyond. Where does the Phoenix come from? Then create your own fairytale and magical beast in a crafty workshop.

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### **Creative **Thursday** art workshops**

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7 August: Ndebele painting and Hojalata art

14 August: Aboriginal art and Scandinavian applique

21 August: Beach Day and: Magnetic fish

28 August: Taino carving and Errol Lloyd Painting

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